

Bolshtyansky 1-14

I hereby certify that this paper is being deposited on this date with the U.S.

Postal Service as first class mail addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

Patent Application

Applicant(s): M.A. Bolshtyansky et al.

Case:

: 1-14

Serial No.:

10/084,908

Filing Date:

February 28, 2002

Group:

2828 -

Examiner:

Tuan N. Nguyen

Title:

Laser With Internally Coupled

Pump Source:

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231 Box Non-Fee Amendment

Sir:

Submitted herewith is the following document relating to the above-identified patent application:

(1) Amendment and Response to Office Action.

There is no additional fee due in conjunction with the Amendment. In the event of any nonpayment or improper payment of a required fee, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge or to credit Ryan, Mason & Lewis, LLP Account No. 50-0762 as required to correct the error.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: April 16, 2003

Joseph B. Ryan

Attorney for Applicant(s)

Reg. No. 37,922

Ryan, Mason & Lewis, LLP

90 Forest Avenue

Locust Valley, NY 11560

(516) 759-7517